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The amendment document filed on February 9, 2004 is considered non-compliant because it has failed to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121, as amended on June 30, 2003 (see 68 Fed. Reg. 38611, June 30, 2003). In order for the amendment document to be compliant, correction on the following item(s) is required. Only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment document must be resubmitted (in its entirety), e.g., the entire "Amendments to the claims" section of applicant's amendment document must be re-submitted. 37 CFR 1.121(h).

The claim identifiers "previously amended" and "previously added" are not proper identifiers. Also, claim 5 is listed as "previously amended"; however, the claim appears to be currently amended.

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